

**VIRGINIA BOARD OF NURSING
INFORMAL CONFERENCES
October 21, 2010**

TIME AND PLACE: The informal conferences held before an Agency Subordinate of the Board of Nursing were convened at 9:05 A.M., on October 21, 2010 in Board room 1, Department of Health Professions, 9960 Mayland Drive, Suite 201, Richmond, Virginia.

**AGENCY
SUBORDINATE:** Jane Elliott, R.N., Ph.D.

STAFF PRESENT: Linda Kleiner, R.N., Discipline Case Manager
Amanda Blount, Adjudication Specialist

**CONFERENCES
SCHEDULED:** **Pamela Chapman, R.N. 0001-178472**
Ms. Chapman appeared.

Ms. Chapman was informed a recommended decision will be made and mailed to her within ninety days.

This recommendation will be presented to the full Board; if accepted, an Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. Chapman unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Chapman within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

**CONFERENCES
SCHEDULED:** **Joan Steenburgh, L.P.N. 0002-020681**
Ms. Steenburgh appeared.

Ms. Steenburgh was informed a recommended decision will be made and mailed to her within ninety days.

This recommendation will be presented to the full Board; if accepted, an Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. Steenburgh unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Steenburgh within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

**CONFERENCES
CONTINUED:** **Ellen Smith, R.N. 0001-085254**
Ms. Smith appeared.

Ms. Smith was informed a recommended decision will be made and mailed to her within ninety days.

This recommendation will be presented to the full Board; if accepted, an Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. Smith unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Smith within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

CONFERENCES
SCHEDULED:

Stephanie Thompson, L.P.N. 0002-078131

Ms. Thompson did not appear.

Based upon information provided by Ms. Blount, Dr. Elliott ruled that adequate notice was provided to Ms. Thompson.

A recommended decision will be made and mailed to Ms. Thompson within ninety days.

This recommendation will be presented to the full Board; if accepted, an Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall be a Final Order.

CONFERENCES
SCHEDULED:

Sarah Austin, L.P.N. 0002-071471

Ms. Austin appeared.

Ms. Austin was informed a recommended decision will be made and mailed to her within ninety days.

This recommendation will be presented to the full Board; if accepted, an Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. Austin unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Austin within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

CONFERENCES
SCHEDULED:

Joseph Masci, R.N. 0001-157820

Mr. Masci did not appear.

Based upon information provided by Ms. Blount, Dr. Elliott ruled that adequate notice was provided to Mr. Masci.

A recommended decision will be made and mailed to Mr. Masci within ninety days.

This recommendation will be presented to the full Board; if accepted, an Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall be a Final Order.

CONFERENCES
SCHEDULED:

Candace Ogden, R.N. 0001-088261

Ms. Ogden appeared.

Ms. Ogden was informed a recommended decision will be made and mailed to her within ninety days.

This recommendation will be presented to the full Board; if accepted, an Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. Ogden unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Ogden within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

CONFERENCES
SCHEDULED:

Jenny Linville, L.P.N. 0002-057004

Ms. Linville appeared.

Ms. Linville was informed a recommended decision will be made and mailed to her within ninety days.

This recommendation will be presented to the full Board; if accepted, an Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. Linville unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Linville within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

CONFERENCES
SCHEDULED:

Linda Mitchell, L.P.N. 0002-059636

Ms. Mitchell appeared, accompanied by Jenni Rice.

Ms. Mitchell was informed a recommended decision will be made and mailed to her within ninety days.

This recommendation will be presented to the full Board; if accepted, an Order will be entered. As provided by law, this decision shall become a Final Order thirty days after service of such order on Ms. Mitchell unless a written request to the Board for a formal hearing on the allegations made against her is received from Ms. Mitchell within such time. If service of the order is made by mail, three additional days shall be added to that period. Upon such timely request for a formal hearing, the Order shall be vacated.

ADJOURNMENT:

The conferences were concluded at 4:00 P.M.

Linda Kleiner, R.N.
Discipline Case Manager